

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for providing enhanced features at a mobile communication device, the device including a feature having a set of sub-features, comprising:

receiving, from a user, at the mobile communication device, a request for one of the sub-features;

searching the mobile communication device for the requested sub-feature;

searching one of an enhanced local services server and a private web site for the requested sub-feature, if the requested sub-feature is not resident on the mobile communication device;

accessing, via a wireless digital control channel, the requested sub-feature from the one of the enhanced local services server and the private web site; and

receiving the requested sub-feature at the mobile communication device ~~via a wireless channel~~.

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the requested sub-feature is received via the wireless ~~said wireless channel comprises a~~ digital control channel.

3. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said feature defines an address book service and wherein the set of sub-features defines a portion of a user-defined address book to be stored at the mobile communication device.

4. (Original) The method of claim 3, wherein the received request comprises a request for access to a portion of said user defined address book which is stored in the wireless network.

5. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 4, wherein the requested sub-feature is received via the wireless ~~said wireless channel comprises a~~ digital control channel.

6. (Original) The method of claim 4, further comprising:

receiving an update transmission from said mobile communication device to effect a modification of said user defined address book stored in the wireless network.

7. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 6, wherein the requested sub-feature is received via the wireless ~~said wireless channel comprises a~~ digital control channel.

8. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said feature defines a calendar service and wherein said set of sub-features defines a portion of a user defined calendar to be stored at the mobile communication device.

9. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein said received request comprises a request for access to a portion of said user defined calendar which is stored in the wireless network.

10. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 9, wherein the requested sub-feature is received via the wireless ~~said wireless channel comprises a~~ digital control channel.

11. (Original) The method of claim 9, further comprising receiving an update transmission from said mobile communication device to effect a modification of said user defined calendar stored in the wireless network.

12. (Currently Amended) A method for provisioning services to a mobile communication device, comprising:

programming the mobile communication device to provide a first set of features defining an aspect of a first service;

programming a wireless network server to provide a second set of features, supplementing said first set, to fully define said first service;

receiving, at the mobile communication device, a command to access said first service;

responsive to said command, determining whether said first set of features can satisfy said command; and

if it is determined that said first set of features cannot satisfy said command then automatically transmitting a request to satisfy said command to said wireless network server, wherein the request to satisfy said command is transmitted via a wireless digital control channel.

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Original) The method of claim 12, wherein said first service comprises a calendar service having a plurality of scheduling options.

15. (Original) The method of claim 14, wherein said aspect of the first service comprises a monthly scheduler capable of handling a subset of the scheduling options in the calendar service.

16. (Original) The method of claim 15, wherein said command requests to schedule an event outside of the scheduling options available with said aspect of the first service.

17. (Original) The method of claim 16, wherein said mobile communication device queues said command and performs said step of transmitting when a communication path to said wireless network server becomes available.

18. (Cancelled)

19. (Original) The method of claim 12, wherein said first service comprises an address book.

20. (Original) The method of claim 19, wherein said aspect of the first service comprises access to a first portion of said address book.

21. (Original) The method of claim 20, wherein said command requests access to another portion of said address book, different from said first portion.

22. (Original) The method of claim 21, wherein said mobile communication device queues said command and performs said step of transmitting when a communication path to said wireless network server becomes available.

23. (Cancelled)

24. (Currently Amended) A system for providing service features to a mobile communication subscriber, comprising:

a mobile communication network;

a mobile network services server coupled to said mobile communication network;

and

a mobile communication device coupled to said mobile communication network via an over-the-air transmission path, said mobile communication device including,

a processor; and

a memory coupled to said processor and storing therein a program to perform the operations of,

generating a command for a communication service based on a subscriber inputs;

determining whether said communication service can be satisfied by the mobile communication device as a stand alone device, and

if it is determined that said mobile communication device cannot satisfy said communication service, then automatically transmitting a service request to said mobile network services server via said over-the-air transmission path, wherein said over-the-air transmission path comprises a wireless digital control channel.

25. (Cancelled)

26. (Original) The system of claim 24, wherein said communication service relates to a calendar service.

27. (Original) The system of claim 24, wherein said communications service relates to a personal address book service.

28. (Original) The system of claim 24, wherein said communication service relates to a personal information management service.